

# The Times

LOS ANGELES

XVITH YEAR.

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SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 17, 1897.

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Grand Farewell Testimonial TENDERED MISS M

EDWARD QUINLAN, the Famous Baritone, as Count Arthurs

Seats now on sale—POPULAR PRICES—Orchestra 50c and 75c; Bal-

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Lyceum Theater Stock Co.

Headed by JAMES K. HACKETT and MARY MANNERING, pro-

Wednesday evening and 1/2 The Prisoner

Saturday Matinee..... 1/2 Zenda."

Thursday and Friday..... 1/2 The First Gentle-

Saturday evenings (Mayflower)

Seats now on sale. Prices \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50.

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July 21, 22, 23 and 24. Engagement Limited to 4 Nights and Saturday Matinee.

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and the limit for the cost of armor from \$300 to \$400.

Mr. Bouteille of Maine (Rep.) chairman of the Naval Affairs Committee, took the floor in support of Mr. Stone's motion. He explained at length the history of the controversy over the proposal.

He pointed out the refusal of the armor-plate companies to bid under the provision of the last Naval Appropriation Bill limiting the cost to \$300 a ton, the proposition of the Illinois Steel Company to furnish all the armor for twenty years at \$200 a ton and the representations of the Secretary of the Navy that an authorization for new bids with a limit of cost of \$300 per ton.

" Didn't one of these companies furnish the Russian government with armor at \$24 per ton?" asked Barlow of California.

" It's a chestnut," replied Mr. Bouteille, " but I'll roast it again for the gentleman's benefit."

" Well, the people would like to have it roasted," replied Barlow.

Mr. Bouteille argued that the prices paid by foreign countries for armor furnished were conclusive evidence that it could not be manufactured for \$300.

" Is not the late Secretary of the Navy (Mr. Herbert) now the private attorney of the Carnegie Steel Company?" asked Mr. King of Utah, a Democrat.

" I don't know," replied Mr. Daizell, " but I should hesitate to entertain such a suggestion about one who is not here to speak for himself."

W. A. Stone of Pennsylvania (Rep.) defended the Carnegie company.

The debate was concluded by Mr. Cannon, who informed the Senate that the Senate would never agree to any proposition fixing the limit of cost at anything less than \$300.

Mr. Stone attempted at this point to secure an adjournment and thus delay action, but this motion was voted down.

Mr. Sayers then moved concurrence in the Senate amendment. On a rising vote there was plainly a large majority for the motion, and Mr. Bouteille demanded the yeas and nays.

Mr. Sayer's motion to concur was carried by 142 to 45. The bill was then sent to the Senate.

The House, at 8:35 o'clock, adjourned until Monday.

CABINET MEETING.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The Cabinet meeting today lasted longer than usual, yet accomplished little beyond discussing routine business. The Nicaragua Canal Commission was talked about with a view to the final selection of the men, and it was decided that the composition of the body will be as represented, heretofore, namely: Rear-Admiral Walker, Capt. Carter of the Engineer Corps, and Prof. Haupt of Pennsylvania, provided the last-named will accept. He has been telegraphed to, and it is expected he will be desirable for various reasons to have the commission appointed and begin its work at the earliest possible moment. One of the reasons is the necessity for obtaining data as to the condition of the country through which the canal is projected during the rainy season.

The information collected heretofore, it is said, has all related to the San Juan River and Lake Nicaragua during the good weather, and the inquiry before the Congressional Committee delayed in making up its mind as to the condition in other seasons. This information is very necessary in order to know the character of the rains required, the amount of water that must be diverted or controlled and the other important engineering data affecting the course of the enterprise.

If this material is to be obtained at first hand it will be necessary for the commission to proceed to Nicaragua immediately, as the rainy season is now well advanced and the work must be completed by September, else there will be a delay until next September.

TARIFF CONFERENCE.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The only real achievement of the tariff conference was to the effect that the representatives of the two houses are still at odds on the sugar schedule, and while there are many matters of minor importance undetermined, the sugar schedule only is in the way of a speedy settlement.

Tonight the conferees are no nearer an agreement on the sugar schedule, which continues to be the main bone of contention, than they were when they began.

THE SHIP CANAL.

Report of the Chief of Engineers on the Subject.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The Secretary of War today transmitted to Congress the report of the Chief of Engineers on the ship canal examination made by Maj. T. W. Symonds of the Corps of Engineers of a ship canal from the Great Lakes to the Hudson River. The work was done in accordance with a provision in the law.

Gen. Harbison, chief of the engineers, says in his report that it is the opinion of local officers that the best route for a ship is that by way of Niagara River, Lake Ontario, Oswego, Oneida, Lake Mohawk and Hudson River, and that this cost at a rough estimate is \$600,000,000. The opinion of the Engineers, when enlarged under the existing plans of the State of New York, would, if the restrictions imposed by the State on its use, be removed, result in a commercial advantage equal to those of any canal.

Mr. Symonds' expresses the opinion that the construction of such a ship canal is not a project worthy of being undertaken by the general government, for the reason that its benefits would not be commensurate with its cost.

RECOGNITION FOR POWDERY.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—It is understood among Senators interested that the President has determined upon the appointment of T. V. Powderly, formerly general manager of the Commissioner-General of Immigration to succeed Mr. Stump, and the commission probably will be sent to the Senate within the next few days.

CALIFORNIA LANDS.

Secretary of the Interior Grants the State a Favor.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The Secretary of the Interior decided the ex parte case of the State of California, involving the school indemnity selections based on the unsurveyed lands alleged to have been lost because of the Custer-Cleveland forestry order.

For Hyde, who was compelled to the department that the selections had been suspended under the requirements of the departmental order temporarily suspending all proceedings under the forestry order; that an indefinite suspension of the applications would prove a serious loss to the State, as California occupied a different status than the other States as to forestry reservations, the latter in California remaining as originally created, which contention the department sustains.

The department, in the opinion, that a valid selection can be made on the basis of reserved lands in advance of official determination as to the number of townships included in such reservations, the State being accorded the procedure, however, as to which no exception is attached.

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THE APPLICATION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, now pending to secure indemnity for unsurveyed school sections included in the timber reservations created by the forestry order will be disposed of accordingly.

[COAST RECORD.]

## EVEN POLICE STRIKE

SO GREAT IS THE GOLD FEVER AT SEATTLE.

Every Street-car Man That Can Raise a Stake Has Given Notice to His Company.

FEVERISH RUSH NORTHWARD.

A MILLION IN GOLD DUE BY THE STEAMER PORTLAND.

J. O'Brien Reported Dead—Tacoma Daily Ledger Sold—Mrs. Craven Again in Court—Crocker Slowly Slaking.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SHATTE, July 15.—The reports of gold discoveries in Alaska have caused intense excitement. Policemen are resigning from the force; every street-car man that can raise a stake has given notice to his company. In fact all classes of society are represented in the feverish rush to get north. People are telegraphing friends and relatives in the East to come and join them in the Eldorado.

The steamer Portland of the North American Trading and Transportation Company is due in from St. Michael with \$1,000,000 of gold dust on board. She has not yet been reported at Tootooch, and her coming is awaited with intense anxiety. She will probably arrive some time tomorrow. The steamship offices are rushed with business, and outfitting stores are taxed to their utmost capacity to supply the wants of those who are getting ready to make the trip.

CRAVEN CASE RESUMED.

Ex-Judge Aitken Tells How He Came to Give Testimony.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—Mrs. Nettie R. Craven, defendant in the Angus Craven case, reappeared in Judge Slack's court today for the first time in many weeks, and the trial of that suit was resumed. The cross-examination of ex-Judge John Aitken, which was expected to result in some sensational developments, proved a disappointment, for it was brief and uninteresting.

Upon his redirect examination, ex-Judge Aitken explained how he happened to tell Attorney Wheeler what he knew about the case. He stated that upon visiting Wheeler's office upon the Congressional Committee he understood he was to be a witness for Mrs. Craven. He denied, and when Wheeler asked him if he knew anything about the matter, replied that he knew a good deal about it; enough, at any rate, to send some people to San Quentin.

When urged by Wheeler to tell what he knew, on the ground that it was his duty to do so, he refused, and to the court, and being assured that his statement would not be used without his consent he related the whole of his connection with the matter. Next night he took the corroborating papers and photographs to Wheeler, and when he was asked if he consented to his testimony he used.

Aitken then recited his acts as Superior Judge in San Diego, and stated that he had been indicted, tried and acquitted to give him instructions regarding the case, and he was released.

He further stated that after he had sentenced the defendant in that case to San Quentin for fourteen years, the Supreme Court had reversed the judgment in the case, and that subsequently he had secured his release through the medium of a writ of habeas corpus and escaped to a minor.

A petition in habeas corpus, attacking the validity of the statute creating the office was filed in the Supreme Court; the validity of the sentence not permitting the defendant to the alternative of imprisonment at the rate of \$1 for every day's imprisonment was also attacked. The court declared the statute unconstitutional, but did not touch the second point.

TAUTOGS AND CRABS.

Consignment of New Fish for the Pacific Coast Waters.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—A consignment of fish new to this Coast, and of crabs, arrived this morning from the East. They are sent here by direction of Commissioner Brice of the United States Fish Commission, and are en route in car No. 3 of that branch of the government service.

The fish are tautogs, and are to be planted on the reefs of the Pacific Coast, and the following day the crabs, which are of the blue-shore variety, and unknown on this Coast, will be consigned to the waters of the bay, but in a spot to be kept secret in order to give them time to acclimate themselves and multiply and spread before they fall into the nets of the local fishermen.

ADULTERY THE CHARGE.

Why Fennell Seeks a Divorce from His Wife.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN MATEO, July 16.—Col. C. F. Crocker is displaying unexpected vitality. Last night his death was hourly expected, but he not only survived the night, but also the succeeding day. At 9 o'clock tonight Dr. Gardner, chief surgeon of the Southern Pacific Company and physician-in-chief in attendance upon the stricken millionaire, made the following statement:

" Col. Crocker has held his own throughout the day. Although in a state of coma the most of the time, he can still be aroused and is at times partially conscious. If nothing unexpected happens he will survive the night."

NO HOPE IS ENTERTAINED OF THE PATIENT'S RECOVERY, HOWEVER, DEATH BEING CONSIDERED ONLY A QUESTION OF DAYS, PERHAPS HOURS.

HIS BROTHER ARRIVES.

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The Well-Known Merchant Expires While Out Hunting.

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THOSE ENDEAVOR TICKETS.

Chairman Caldwell Arrives at San Francisco to Look After Them.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—B. D. Caldwell, chairman of the Western Passenger Association, has arrived in this city. He will try to straighten out the tangle into which the different lines got over the Christian Endeavor business. Mr. Caldwell said that he did not anticipate any difficulty, as the lines through Ogden and the lines of the association east of Colorado points had decided to refuse acceptance to

has shown no increase of temperature, and only slight indications of fever. But today these hopeful signs ceased, and there was an ominous increase in temperature. The circulation became impaired, and these are taken as indications that the progress of the Briton's disease is becoming more rapid.

SLATER.—At midnight Col. Crocker's condition was stated by his attendants to be unchanged. He is very low, but lying in a condition of semi-consciousness, which his physicians say may continue for a day or two.

There is absolutely no hope of his recovery, but the doctors do not anticipate a fatal result of his illness tonight.

ALASKAN COAL AND OIL.

Development Company Organized to Operate in the Territory.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.), July 16.—The Alaska Development Company has been organized here to develop the coal and oil field recently discovered in Southeastern Alaska by R. C. Johnston of Los Gatos, Cal. The report made to the company by Mr. Johnston and T. J. Hamilton of this city, the experts who made a thorough examination of the region, shows that the discovery is really the most wonderful find the world has ever known. The oil fields are located in a few hundred feet of tide water, 350 miles west of Juneau. The statement is made in good faith that the oil is dripping directly from the oil rock, and in places can be dipped up in buckets, while the surrounding country is nothing but timber.

Thirty thousand feet of pipe have been ordered from Pittsburgh, and as soon as it is received here a steam schooner will be chartered to take it and tank material to the point of discovery. A prominent oil man has given a guarantee of all the capital necessary to build a refinery at this point as soon as necessary to handle the product. The oil is pronounced of the best quality ever seen, and the quantity is unlimited.

ANTI-IRRIGATION CELEBRATION.

People of Glenn and Colusa County to Have a Picnic.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—The people of Glenn and Colusa counties have set aside July 23 as a day on which to celebrate with a picnic and barbecue the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, whereby some sections of the irrigation law were invalidated.

The decision was handed down on the 23rd of July, and just one month later, on the 23rd of July, the two counties will gather in Williams, Colusa county, to hold for the first time in many weeks, and the trial of that suit was resumed. The cross-examination of ex-Judge John Aitken, which was expected to result in some sensational developments, proved a disappointment, for it was brief and uninteresting.

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AN IRONIC GOLD FIELD.

Report by the Canadian Surveyor on the Find.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.), July 16.—The Alaska Development Company has been sent in a report on the Klondyke mining district, Alaska, which shows that the discovery of the gold is unusually rich. He says:

" Claimholders are now very reticent about what they get, so you can hardly credit anything you hear, but one thing is certain, we have one of the richest mining areas ever found, with a fair prospect that we have not discovered the limits."

IMMIGRATION THROUGH SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—United States Immigration Commissioner Stradley has filed his report for the fiscal year ended June 30. It shows a total of 1,629 persons have entered this country through San Francisco, as compared to 1,141 in 1886. There was a falling-off in the amount of money brought into the country. In 1895-6 there was \$231,669, or about \$164 per capita; while this year there was only \$102,287, or about \$104 per capita.

FELL FROM HER HORSE.

FRENCH CO., July 16.—Miss Eva Powell, a society belle of San Francisco, who is a guest at the El Dorado Hotel in this city, was quite seriously hurt by falling from a horse at the race track today. The young lady went to the race course for the purpose of purchasing one of Dan McCarty's fine saddle animals. She mounted the horse to try it, but when it started at a lively gait she lost control and fell to the ground. No bones were broken, but she was severely bruised.

A NIGHT CLERK'S DOWNFALL.

STOCKTON, July 16.—Harold Bradon, who for the past two weeks has been the night clerk at the Imperial Hotel, was arrested this afternoon on charge of embezzlement. Last night he was left in charge of the hotel when being about in the drawer. He deserted his post, and when arrested he was hopelessly drunk and had spent all but \$13. Bradon came to the hotel with recommendations from a Santa Cruz hotel.

## NO LACK OF COAL.

## THE PRICE HAS LOWERED IN PITTSBURGH DISTRICT.

Unusual Activity in the Market and Ocular Demonstration That Supplies are Ample.

## THE STRIKE'S PRESENT STATUS.

## DULLNESS IS PREVAILING AT THE MINERS' HEADQUARTERS.

Advantages Around Wheeling, W. Va., in Favor of the Strikers and True Uniformity May Eventually Win.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) July 16.—Dullness at miners' headquarters and among the miners in the Pittsburgh district and unusual activity in the coal market characterized the features of the strike today.

Coal took a tumble in price today. It sold for \$12.50 at the mine, a drop of 25 cents from the day previous. A tour among the operators demonstrated that there was plenty of coal on hand.

MAY EVENTUALLY WIN.

PITTSBURGH, July 16.—True uniformity may eventually win in this district through the efforts of the peace commissioners, but it is said that it will require weeks, perhaps months to secure the signatures of the operators. President Rathford has persistently refused to call here for conference, and in communications to the strikers officials has expressed the opinion that the agreement could not be brought about.

MINERS GAIN A POINT.

WHEELING (W. Va.) July 16.—The advantages this morning are all on the miners' side. None returned to work and the strikers are aiding the agitators materially.

PEORIA DULL.

PEORIA (Ill.) July 16.—The miners of the Peoria district have voted unanimously to join the strike. In consequence several of the factories will be forced to shut down Saturday, throwing out of employment a thousand men.

INCREASED WAGES DECLINED.

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) July 16.—The miners' wages in the Peoria district have been increased by the operators, but they are declined, and the men will not return to work. The families of many of the miners are destitute, and the strikers have organized a commissary and are soliciting provisions of food, money and farm implements. Over a hundred families are being given rations daily. There are 2800 miners idle in the Peoria district.

## FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The Navy Department has ordered a general court-martial to meet at Mare Island, Cal., for the trial of Charles Staworth, now attached to the training-ships Adams. He is charged with drunkenness, a very serious offense in naval service.

A dispatch to the New York Herald from Buenos Ayres says the United States gunboat Cambria, sent yesterday for the Amazon, has been sent to San Francisco. The steamer Herda, which sailed on July 17, will take the body of United States Consul Baker, whom President McKinley ordered should be sent to the United States.

Although the annual convention of the International Association of Lithographers has been in session at Cincinnati all the time, the session was suspended yesterday, when the commissioners reported. Today the election of officers occurs, and the place for the next meeting will be selected.

The session was suspended three months ago in the Chicago Criminal Court yesterday found Charles W. Spalding, ex-treasurer of the University of Illinois, not guilty of embezzlement, and he was freed.

The law of the land is that the companies are bound to stand the cost.

A dispatch to the New York Herald from Paris says the report cabled from London in reference to the serious mental condition of Charles Delmonico is entirely without foundation. Mr. Foster, attorney of the defense, has been retained by the defense, and the companies are bound to stand the cost.

The protection of the seal herd is really a question not of international law, but of international comity, and natural history, and there is no reason for undue excitement over it on either side of the Atlantic. Both Col. Hay and Mr. Foster declined to discuss the question, or to say anything except that the negotiations are making satisfactory progress.

## BEDONDO BEACH.

Fishermen Put Out Their Pots for Crawfish-Breeding.

BEDONDO BEACH, July 16.—[Regular Correspondence.] The fishermen at the camp below here are now busy putting out their crawfish pots, the season when it is unlawful to catch crawfish having closed Wednesday at midnight. Crawfish fishing is the most profitable branch of the business, and for this time until next May the fishermen on the creek will devote the most of their time to catching them for the Los Angeles market.

Col. F. G. Teed, P. A. Demens, A. F. Morian and several other guests of Hotel Redondo chartered the sloop yacht Violet on Thursday and spent the day fishing for barracuda and yellowtail.

H. Orme and wife of Phoenix were among the fisher-folk that took passage to the fishing grounds on the Rambler this morning.

A large party of campers have arranged to spend Saturday at Fisher-cove, near Rock Point, south of here. They will go prepared to gather abalone shells and sea moss which are abundant on the rocks.

The schooner Alcande arrived Friday afternoon with 379,000 feet of lumber for the Redondo Lumber Company.

The principal diversion indulged in by the summer residents here is surfing, the beach being lined with bathers every day. Moonlight bathing is also indulged in by many.

## A BLOW IN THE WIND.

## HOW SECRETARY SHERMAN'S MESSAGE FEELS TO BRITISHERS.

The Foreign Office Displays No Irritability, but the Newspapers Do. Negotiations Continue to Progress Toward a Conclusion.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.]

NEW YORK, July 16.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

The publication of Secretary Sherman's dispatch on the Bering Sea question arouses momentarily in the English press the smouldering embers of recent criticisms of American diplomatic methods. The text of that dispatch is not pleasant reading here, as the Pall Mall Gazette and other journals frankly admit. If it proves to be true that the bullet was passed with suavity in mode, there would have been no cause for complaint. If one hundred words had been taken out of the text the dispatch would have been accepted as an unobjectionable statement of the American case.

"As the matter stands, the implication that England has not acted in good faith is considered a blow below the belt. The pelting comments of the London press today ought not, however, to be taken too seriously. The action of the Foreign Office has disclosed willingness on the part of the government to discuss the question without irritability.

This dispatch was one of the earliest state papers presented by Ambassador Hay to the Foreign Office after his arrival in London, and while it repudiated the claim of Lord Salisbury's refusal to accept the testimony of the British agent employed in the case, there is no indication that unfriendly feeling had been excited either before or after Mr. Foster's return to London.

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Wednesday, " 7..... 28,120  
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Total for the week..... 135,980

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of July, 1897.

[Seal.] THOMAS L. CHAPIN,  
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### THE TRANSMISSISSIPPI CONGRESS AND THE SILVER QUESTION.

To say the least, it was questionable policy for the Transmississippi Congress to take up and give prominence to the silver question. There are other issues which come more legitimately within the province of that organization, which is supposed to be non-political in character.

The silver question, though not legitimately a political issue, was made distinctly so by the action of the Chicago convention of 1896, which placed Mr. Bryan in nomination for the Presidency. Inasmuch as Bryan was defeated by an overwhelming majority of the popular vote, the principal issue upon which he made his canvas became a dead issue for four years at least. The American people, on a fair vote, declared against the doctrines promulgated by the Chicago platform, and in favor of the principles represented in the candidacy of Maj. McKinley. It is profitless to take up for rediscussion, at this time, the issues of the campaign of 1896. It is a fair and a safe presumption that the voters of the United States knew what they were about when they voted down the free-silver-coining scheme. The verdict which they rendered at the polls in November, 1896, must stand until such time as they are called upon to sustain or reverse their action, in November, 1900. It is both futile and inexpedient to persist in the agitation of questions upon which the deliberate and intelligent verdict of the people has so recently been rendered.

Again: If the silver question is an issue at all, it is a political issue. As such it should have been avoided by the Transmississippi Congress, unless that organization is desirous of entering the domain of politics. When it enters that domain, its usefulness for the promotion of western interests will be practically at an end. It cannot serve, acceptably, the interests of the people at large and at the same time beat the tom-tom of a political party.

There are great and vital questions affecting the progress and development of the vast empire lying west of the Mississippi River, not directly connected with politics, which will furnish ample scope for the talents of the transmississippi congressmen; and if these questions be duly and thoroughly considered, there will be no occasion to turn the organization into a political machine. The time and talents of the congress can be employed to better advantage than in the threshing over of straw from which the grain has been extracted, or in attempting to galvanize into life the decaying corpse of a moribund political issue.

The farmers of Iowa, Ohio and Indiana will get a trifle of \$5,000,000 more for their wheat this year than they did last, but the calamity-criers will probably look upon it as an outrage on the men who don't raise wheat.

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New York importers of tea are confronted by a condition which they will find to be more binding than a theory. Anticipating the levying of a duty of 10 cents per pound on tea, as proposed in the House Tariff Bill, they bought all the foreign tea they could get, expecting to corner the market and advance the price on the strength of the duty, at the same time depriving the government of the revenue which it should receive under the duty. Consignments of tea are arriving in New York by every steamer, and will amount in the aggregate to between 15,000,000 and 20,000,000 pounds. In the mean time the proposition to place a duty on tea has been abandoned.

The theory of tariffed tea held by the importers proved untenable, and the hard condition of a heavily-overstocked market confronts them. Their visions of vast profits have vanished into attenuated air, and they will do well if they save themselves from bankruptcy. It is plainly a case in which vaulting ambition overleaped itself, and the importers will not receive a very great amount of sympathy. Meanwhile, tea will be unusually cheap.

Even Britons felt that their antiquated customs, which crop up like fossils in the three lines of "God save the Queen," given in yesterday's Times, were something to be thrown into the waste basket; for, on Sunday, the 20th of June, there was at all the services in all the cathedrals, churches, chapels and halls where worship was held throughout the United Kingdom, an added verse, written by the Dean of Rochester. Instead of confounding the "politics" and frustrating the "knayish tricks" of enemies, both at home and abroad, the new verse contains pretty nearly the same petition, but with more poetry (?) and in better English, although the

promptness with which justice was meted out to this brutal murderer must excite the admiration and meet the approval of all who believe that the laws should be respected and enforced. It is an admirable feature of English criminal jurisprudence that punishment follows speedily upon conviction. Whenever English law has sway this is the case. English criminal law is a terror to evil-doers. As a result, crimes of the graver kind are reduced to a minimum, the public is saved a great deal of expense, and there is no need for resorting to the illegitimate and demoralizing expedient of lynch-law.

Had Newman committed his crimes in this country, and had he been arrested no longer ago than in February, he would still be unconvinced. His trial might possibly have been completed before the close of the present calendar year, but if it had resulted in conviction—which result would by no means have been certain—his execution could, and no doubt, have been delayed for two or three years, through the machinations of sharp-witted lawyers and the mistaken leniency of courts.

We have much to learn from our English friends in this respect, though we may be able to give them "points" on some things.

GLADSTONE AND THE JUBILEE.

How astonished have been Americans, Frenchmen, Germans, as well as men of liberal views of all nations (including those of Great Britain herself) that, in the vast procession commemorating the sixty years of British rule under Queen Victoria there was no place for William E. Gladstone. Of him it has been truly said: "Of all the great men of England during Victoria's reign of sixty years, Gladstone has shed more honor and glory upon the British nation than any other." But why was not the lover of freedom and constitutional law to hold a place where (to say nothing of Gen. Miles and his new uniform) every little "whiffer-snuffer" princeling, of some of the most despised, despotic and diminutive countries on the globe, displayed his "mighty littleness" in bejeweled and bedizened toggy? Yes, "why indeed" may be asked, was the man who was four times Premier, six times Chancellor of the Exchequer—an honor achieved by no other man in that century—"why" was he not there? It is said he was not even invited with other distinguished men of the British empire to lend honor to an occasion unique in the history of nations. In statesmanship, in oratory, in literature, and, above all, in broad views, he has not his peer among contemporaneous Britons.

He was not present at any of the several functions of the Queen's jubilee. If report he true, he was quietly meditating in a little nook in Wales on the day of the great procession.

But one need not go very far to find the reason why the time-servers in the Tory Ministry, now in power, would do all in their power to exclude him from the celebration of that reign, of which, it has been said, "his services secured nearly everything that is praiseworthy and has made it illustrious." The fact is, Gladstone has opinions and convictions, and he has the courage of both. His remarkable letter to the Duke of Westminster on Turkish affairs, and on the unequal struggle of poor little Greece, in the course of which he arraigned and handled without gloves the Queen's own grandson (the ruler of Germany) and the Queen's grandson-in-law (the Emperor

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The English newspapers indulge in an unnecessary amount of petulant comment upon Secretary Sherman's recent communication on the Berlin Sea question. But the facts as set forth by Secretary Sherman are not denied in any important particular. The principal objection appears to be against the manner rather than the matter of Secretary Sherman's dispatch. If he had interlarded it liberally with diplomatic taffy, and quoted a few passages from "God Save the

Queen," it would have been all right. But the Secretary of State is not built that way; he is on the right track, and his statement goes.

Our merchants would gain and hold Mexican trade they must bestir themselves. What is worth having in this world must be gone after with vigor, pluck and determination. Los Angeles should have a big trade with the republic to the south of us, and now that we have steamer connection with its ports the best rustlers in business should be sent out to corral our share of what is going in the way of commerce. The Lord prosper the rustler, and as this city has been built up to its present magnificence by that class he should reach out and conquer new worlds. Let's conquer the trade of Mexico!

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The calamity-shriekers are cautioned against reading the dispatch printed yesterday which shows that never before have the merchandise exports from the United States reached so high a figure as during the last fiscal year; the amount being placed at \$23,000,000. In excess of any previous like period. The excess of imports over exports was nearly \$300,000,000. These figures speak with such a stentorian tone that comment cannot be heard.

It is gratifying, on his own account as well as on our own, to learn that the Secretary of War will proceed to advertise for bids for construction of the deep-sea harbor at San Pedro as soon as Congress adjourns. Mr. Alger will be doing the right and lawful thing, and will at the same time spare himself some episodes of unpleasantry should it become necessary for Senator White to arise and make further remarks.

The English press intimates that Secretary Sherman is no gentleman, but if he isn't, he hasn't anything the best of Queen Victoria. However, all this does not cut much figure as to whether our British brethren are living up to the real treaty. That is what Uncle Sam insists shall be done, even if they call every individual of official in this country a wife-beater and a son-of-a-gun on wheels.

The lynching and roasting of negroes still goes on in the South, the latest example of this sort of diabolical fandango having occurred at West Point, Tenn. This is becoming a problem that the country will have to settle in some way, sometime. It cannot go on forever to the shame, disgrace and degradation of American manhood and to the debasement of civilization.

The American sculler, Dr. McDowell, is giving a handsome account of himself in English water at Henley, and his countrymen rejoice in his prowess and will be delighted to see him come away with a beautiful row of scalps at his belt. We are not advised whether the doctor is a dentist, but if so, he certainly adorns his profession as a puller.

Having talked the Pacific Coast to a dead standstill, Mr. Bryan is now resting his lacerated throat in Salt Lake, much to the peace and quietness of the country. It is a pleasant lull in the conversation which everybody should enjoy as much as possible while it lasts, for even with the most sublime faith we cannot hope for it to last long.

Senator Stewart stirred up "Our Steve" to his great sorrow, and unless the harbor question is settled promptly and properly there are others who may expect to have their hides hung on the fence by the Senator from Los Angeles, who carries a trusty blade and wears in his bosom a brave and resolute heart.

It is hoped that the enterprising public-spirited men who are pushing the boulevard matter between Pasadena and Los Angeles will continue their work in the broad spirit in which they have begun. Pasadena, a wealthy city, wants an easy, direct boulevard to Los Angeles, a prosperous metropolis. They want the shortest and most direct way between these two objective points. The question of improving this lot or that tract along the route should not be taken into consideration at all. Private interests should give way to public good. There are some men so small that they would change the course of such a boulevard because their chicken coop might have to be moved. It is small business for a few kickers to raise a hullabaloo and false alarm about some corporation's hand manipulating the course of routes. Let there be some room for artillerists to lay their guns and for the soft-measured tones of a true southerner, and it would be difficult to recognize the brisk, breezy Illinois Judds of the Pacific Coast in the smooth-tongued, dignified southern speakers. There was a storm of protests from several ex-Senators when the resolution was introduced, but ex-Senator Kellogg, for whom it was especially intended, lost no time in hunting up Senator Hale and assuring him of his hearty sympathy with the measure.

The evil at any rate is not so great as to ex-Senators as it is with those who have been Representatives. You could scarcely throw a stone into a crowd of men in a Washington hotel without striking some man who has served one or more terms in Congress. At the end of two years

the American sculler is gone, has lost his control of politics in Washington, and is becoming enamored with Washington life, and the practical drift of it, which is so potent an influence in southern politics. He has been successful from a financial point of view, and owns some very fine property in Washington. While it would be unfair to accuse him of being a professional lobbyist, he is still comparative, as far as when reconstruction days were, so potent an influence in southern politics.

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## THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, July 15.—At 6 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.98; at 5 p.m., 29.90. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 74 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 96 per cent.; 5 p.m., 69 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., west, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 83 deg.; minimum temperature, 60 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m., foggy; 5 p.m., clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

## The Times

## ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Pasadena will extend the glad hand to the Christian Endeavor tourists today and many there will be who will accept it.

San Diego is receiving a fair portion of the tourist traffic this summer, which is but natural. A trip to the City of Bay's climate via the Surf Line is a journey well worth making by the pleasure-seeker, and once made is apt to be oft repeated.

California lars, Catalina shark-fishers included, may hide their diminished heads until they can think up something to stand off the story that comes from Phoenix about an ostrich that swallowed a bunch of lighted fire-crackers and looked happy while the things popped in his stomach.

If the reports of wonderful gold discoveries in Alaska are only half true, this strike should dispose of the unemployed problem on the Pacific Coast. It is true that few of the unemployed would be able to afford the expense of going to Alaska, but many thousands of those who are employed will flock there, and thus make an opening for those who are left behind.

Chef Raffa of the Metropole Hotel, Catalina Island, has devised an explanation of why he lost a basket of champagne by betting that the big Newfoundland would take the heaving line when the steamer came in last Sunday. He says the dog knew the Christian Endeavorists were aboard and did not want to incur their disapproval by working on Sunday. He says that dog has more conscience than have the unregenerate persons who won the bet.

The City Council has a difficult task in prospect to satisfy at the same time the taxpayers who protest against increased burdens and those citizens who are clamoring for more schools, improved streets and fuller fire and police protection. The increased total valuation of property is gratifying, but it will not produce but a fraction of the revenue necessary to pay for an enlarged public service, such as is demanded. The situation requires patience on the part of the public, economy in the administration of municipal affairs and a willingness to make haste slowly from all.

A tape-game gambler has devised a new interpretation of the legal maxim that a man is presumed to be innocent until proven guilty. He assumes that his gambling machine is protected by a similar rule, and that he can run it until convicted of violating the law. He was notified by the police to stop, but continued operating it and was arrested, and now, while his case is pending, he keeps the machine going. Another operator, who closed as soon as the legality of the machine was questioned, now announces that he will reopen if the other fellow is to be permitted to defy the law with impunity.

## PERSONALS.

Ray Maynard, superintendent of the Bumble Bee Mine, Arizona, is in the city.

W. G. Young has gone with a party on a camping trip into the mountains to be absent ten days.

Mrs. J. G. McCullum and Miss Pearl McCullum are at the Clarendon Hotel for a few days before going to the beach.

W. A. Nelson of this city will leave for Gothenburg, Sweden, on the Britannic which sails from New York on the 28th inst.

Prof. Albert S. Bickmore and wife have returned from a trip to San Diego and are at the Clarendon. They will see the beauties of Pasadena today as the guests of C. F. Holder.

Among recent arrivals at the Clarendon Hotel are John Marquette, M. L. Macmillan, M. F. Warren, San Diego, Cal., D. Marcus and wife, Washington, D. C., D. L. Elendorn, New York.

T. Wilson Hanna of Savannah, Ga., and his son, Rev. Dwight C. Hanna, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of Springfield, Ill., on their way from the Christian Endeavor conference are the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Rev. D. R. Colmery, at No. 1212 Wall street.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Cady and four children will leave this city next week for San Francisco, from which point they will sail on the steamer China for Japan. There Rev. Cady will engage in work in the Japanese mission schools recently established by Joseph Neesima, a wealthy philanthropist residing in the Japanese empire. Mr. Neesima was educated in the United States and was a classmate of Hugh B. Rice of this city. Upon his graduation he returned to his native land and has since devoted much time and fortune in evangelical work.

## Fined All of Them.

The drunken trio, Mrs. T. J. McMullen and her husband and Frank Burke, who raised a disturbance in a Los Angeles-street lodging-house some days ago, were before Justice Owens yesterday on a charge of disturbing the peace. McMullen was fined \$90, his wife \$20 and Burke \$50.

## Hold for Trial.

Nick Cordado, the young man who was arrested by Detectives Hawley and Auble on a charge of burglary, committed in the Windsor Hotel, was held to the Superior Court by Justice Morrison yesterday in bonds of \$1500.

## Fall Down Stars.

Joseph Boyle, a cripple, fell down stairs at the St. Charles Hotel early yesterday morning. He cut a deep gash in the back of his head. Police Surgeon Hagan took five stitches in the wound, and sent Rodgers home.

## Kicked by a Horse.

Joe Rodgers called at the Receiving Hospital last night for repairs. He said that while unhooking a horse at Puenta, he had been kicked under the left eye. Dr. Hagan dressed the wound, and sent Rodgers home.

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## FORGER AND SUICIDE.

## KILLED HIMSELF TO ESCAPE THE DETECTIVES.

Neff Feared Arrest for Crimes Committed in the East, and Took His Life.

## AWAITING BURIAL A MONTH.

## HIS RELATIVES THOUGHT HE HAD RECOVERED.

Officers on His Track Believed Him Alive, but Found His Body Embalmed at an Undertaker's.

The body of William Neff of Cincinnati, O., who committed suicide at the Hotel Broadway on June 29 last, has lain embalmed and confined in the undertaking parlors of Orr & Hines awaiting a clamor for the remains.

All this time the body has awaited sepulture, and for weeks before his death detectives were scouring the country hunting William Neff to arrest him on the charges of forgery and embezzlement, crimes he committed in the far East just before he came to California, and it is now almost certain that Neff committed suicide, not on account of despondency, as was alleged, but because he had reason to believe the officers of the law were close upon him. The story of William Neff's life, crime, death and long waiting for burial is an interesting one.

The Neffs in Philadelphia and Cincinnati are among the wealthiest and most prominent people of which those cities boast. The male members of the family have distinguished themselves in the political, business and professional world, while the ladies have been leaders of the best circles of society and foremost in works of charity and benevolence. Will Neff was no exception to the rule. He was an unusually bright boy and was early in life given every advantage that unlimited wealth and great influence could procure for him. He grew, however, old and dissipated, and was in constant trouble as a young man. After the death of his father in Philadelphia some years ago, his mother moved to Cincinnati and young Neff soon found himself in the position of having to earn his living. He was forced to go to work, and selected the occupation of hotel clerk, one for which he was well fitted naturally and by education. This business he followed with varying success until May last. Dissatisfied having unclaimed Neff's health, he committed himself to the California, and more particularly to this city, where he at one time had a sister living, but who has been dead some years. In order to supply himself with funds, Neff, who was working in a Philadelphia hotel as clerk, committed the crime of embezzlement, and followed it by committing forgery in the State of Delaware. He then disappeared. The Governors of the States mentioned issued requisition papers for Neff, and officers started to trace his movements.

The fugitive finally arrived in Los Angeles about June 1 last. How Neff secured by his crimes is not known, but it is known that when he arrived in this city he was nearly "broke," and was suffering from weeks of dissipation. He went to the Hollenbeck Hotel, registering under his own name, and was soon about running up people who had come here from Cincinnati and knew him or his family in other days. He succeeded in finding two brothers who have extensive business interests here, both being wealthy men, and, fortunately for Neff, the brothers had a son. Neff soon found he was what he claimed to be "one of the Neffs" they had known in Cincinnati, and he asked them to help him. Both brothers aided him in a financial way on more than one occasion, but Neff's actions and manner were such as to cause the brothers again employing him. Besides Neff seemed to want to get away into the country to work at some resort, or even country hotel. He did not want to remain here.

The night of June 22 the proprietors of the Hollenbeck notified Neff he must pay his bill or leave the house. The night was very hot, breaking the truce and the attention of other roomers, and notifying the clerk they forced an entrance into the room and found the occupant dying. A physician was summoned, and one of the brothers mentioned was sent for. Neff having the Los Angeles man's business card with him, and his chance got his bottle of poison and took another dose. This killed him, and the third telegram had to be sent to his mother announcing the facts. This telegram was never delivered, and its failure to reach her caused Neff to believe he was still alive, and to start for this city to capture him. The Cincinnati Enquirer published the story of Will Neff's crimes when they occurred, and naturally the relatives gave the public news of his resurrection and published the fact that Neff was not dead after all, and failing to get the news of the second and successful attempt at suicide, nothing was said about it. The officers took steps at the Hollenbeck where the first telegram of Neff's death to fully satisfy themselves as to the truth of the statement, and the identity of the man, and then returned home, but the body of the suicide still awaits final burial rites and interment. Orr & Hines are daily expecting some of Neff's relatives to arrive from the East and claim the body. The charges now amount to a considerable sum, and the body will not be shipped unless these are first paid. It may be that the undertakers will yet have to bury the body here, as it cannot remain much longer here, is awaiting interment. It is not known positively whether Neff was married or not, but it is thought that he was, although nothing has been heard from his wife.

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neat figures and lace effects, 10c; reduced to..... 6c yard  
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## THE PUBLIC SERVICE.]

## LIMITED REVENUES.

## IMPOSSIBLE TO MEET DEMANDS OF THE DEPARTMENTS.

Many Estimates for the Present Fiscal Year Must Necessarily Be Scaled Down.

## THE MISSING MEN CAPTURED.

## ATTORNEY MILLS CATCHES HARRIS AND JENKINS.

Judge York Decides a Suit Over a Liquor Account—L. H. Scott Turned Loose—Juan Silvas Convicted of Rape.

At the City Hall yesterday the Board of Public Works and the Sewer Committee were in session and formulated their reports. The necessity of scaling down departmental estimates is said to be necessary in order to keep expenses within the municipal revenues.

At the Courthouse yesterday Judge York decided the case of Levy vs. Gibbons, a suit over a liquor account. Juan Silvas was convicted of rape. L. H. Scott was released and a Downey case will be reexamined on a complaint issued yesterday. Harris and Jenkins the missing witnesses in the Tupper case, were caught yesterday at Santa Monica Cañon.

## [AT THE CITY HALL.]

## STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

## RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Contracts to Be Awarded. Grades Changed and Established and Protests Heard—Meeting of the Sewer Committee.

The Board of Public Works held a quiet session yesterday morning and prepared the following report to the Council:

"In the matter of proposals of improve First street between Clarence street and Boyle avenue, we recommend the bid of L. Brodick for grading and graveling at \$1.10 per lineal foot, 30 cents per lineal foot for curb and 18½ cents per lineal foot for gutter, be accepted and the necessary resolution of award adopted."

"In the matter of proposals to improve Albion street from Avenue 21 to Main street, we recommend that the bid of D. F. Donegan at \$1.10 per lineal foot for grading and graveling, 15 cents per lineal foot for curb, 10 cents per lineal foot for gutters be accepted and the necessary resolution of award adopted."

"In the matter of proposals to improve Wright street from Pico to Sixteenth street, we recommend the bid of Watson & Weiss at 12 cents per square foot for sidewalk, be accepted and the necessary resolution of award adopted."

"In the matter of proposals to improve Second street, we recommend that the bid of J. P. McCormick at 80 cents per lineal foot for grading and graveling, 16 cents per lineal foot for curb and 15 cents per lineal foot for gutters be accepted and the necessary resolution of award adopted."

"In the matter of the ordinance of intention heretofore referred to this board, for the repaving with asphalt of Spring street from Temple to Ninth streets, we recommend that the Sheriff's office be instructed to present the necessary specifications therefor the property owners agreeing to pay one-half of the expense."

"In the matter of the petition from T. D. Monnett et al., asking the Workman street from Downey avenue to Avenue 21 be sidewalked with cement six feet wide, we recommend that the same be referred to the City Engineer to present ordinance of intention therefor."

"We recommend that the protest from Mrs. E. M. Blackman against the proposed improvement of Thomas street be filed as time for protest has expired."

"In the matter of the petition from W. E. Denning et al., asking that the grand jury of the City of Los Angeles be instructed to advise for laying said pipe and the City Engineer be instructed to present the necessary specifications therefor the property owners agreeing to pay one-half of the expense."

"In the matter of the petition from W. H. Hughes, asking the city to pay half the expenses of piping the Arroyo de Los Reyes between Ninth and Temple streets, we recommend the same be referred to the City Engineer, instructed to advise for laying said pipe and the City Engineer be instructed to present the necessary specifications therefor the property owners agreeing to pay one-half of the expense."

"In the matter of the petition from T. D. Monnett et al., asking the Workman street from Downey avenue to Avenue 21 be sidewalked with cement six feet wide, we recommend that the same be referred to the City Engineer to present ordinance of intention therefor."

"We recommend that the protest from W. B. Stewart et al., against the proposed paving of Seventh street between Main and Pearl streets, be referred to the City Engineer for estimate of frontage."

## SEWER COMMITTEE.

## Recommendations Submitted to the Council.

The following report was filed yesterday by the Sewer Committee with the City Clerk:

"Your Sewer Committee begs leave to report as follows: We recommend that the bid of C. L. Powell to sewer Gleason avenue and Mathews street at 66-90 cents per lineal foot for the sewer committee be accepted and the necessary resolution of award adopted."

"We recommend that the assessment diagram for the sewerage of Chicago street between First street and Brooklyn avenue, be approved."

## CITY TAX RATES.

## Estimates of Many Departments Must Be Reduced.

City Auditor Nichols now has the difficult task ahead of him of passing the accounts of the prospective expenses which have been submitted to him by the heads of the various city departments. Then will follow the task of fixing the tax rate for the present fiscal year after the Council has completed its labors as the Board of Equalization.

The estimates for the past year amounted to \$678,940.72, but about \$11,500 in taxes are still delinquent. Outside of taxes, from various sources, the receipt of the city treasury last year amounted to \$267,000, of which more than \$12,000 was collected from the tax rate last year was \$1.30, for general purposes producing \$522,541.72, and 30 cents for the interest and sinking fund producing \$158,339. No levy was made last year on property in the annexed district for the latter fund.

The total estimates for this year as-

gregate \$916,000, from which the expenses of street sprinkling and street lighting are omitted. The fire department, amounting to \$100,000, the police department for \$66,000 and the police department for \$34,000. Large additional allowances are called for by Street Superintendent Drain and City Engineer Dockweller and nearly every department of the city government has filed a claim for larger appropriations.

At the present time the probabilities are that the total assessed valuation of property in the city will not exceed \$58,000,000, with which the tax rate of \$1.30, as at present, would produce only \$7,900,000, leaving a deficit of \$2,100,000. Large additional allowances are called for by Street Superintendent Drain and City Engineer Dockweller and nearly every department of the city government has filed a claim for larger appropriations.

The opinion sets forth that the evidence shows that Gibbons obtained a license to conduct a saloon at No. 331 Macy street. The business was to be conducted by the defendant but by himself, or some other, or between themselves, which does not sufficiently appear. Culp issued, as manager, invitations to an "opening." Culp had no right, says the opinion, to conduct a saloon there or at any place on his own account, because he had no license therefor. Then Judge York struck a blow straight at the heart of the affair.

"The reason why defendant obtained the license instead of Culp," says the opinion, "was either that Culp wanted to seize his property to defendant but did not do so, and not Culp was transacting the business, and Culp was working for him. When Levy wanted pay for his liquor, Gibbons announced that Culp was the saloon proprietor.

The defense in this action, concludes the opinion, "finds no support in fact, leaves good conscience. Judgment will, therefore, be entered for plaintiff for the amount of his claim with costs."

## CHARLES COMPTON ARRESTED.

Charged With Complicity in the Davis-Ware Forgery.

Charles Compton was arrested the night in the County Jail, having been arrested yesterday by Police Officer Fowler. Compton was brought before Justice Young in the Township Court after his arrest and arraigned on a charge of forgery. His examination was set for August 6, and his bond fixed at \$2500. He was compelled to have the bond reduced, but to no effect.

Compton was arrested on a complaint sworn to by A. P. West. His alleged to have been the brain that planned the forgery for which Davis and Ware were arrested and held to answer for recently. When Ware was apprised last night that Compton had been arrested he turned as white as a sheet and exclaimed, "What, have they got him, too?"

## SILVAS CONVICTED.

GUILTY OF RAPING LITTLE JENNIE QUINONES.

The case of Col. L. Tupper, charged

with complicity in a scheme to pass a

gun to train-wrecker "Kid" Thompson,

came up for trial in Department One

of the Superior Court yesterday morn-

ing at 10 o'clock. Twice before had

Tupper's case been called for trial and each time postponed because of the

absence of Fay Harris and Harry Jen-

kins, two men who the attorneys for

the defense declared were most im-

portant witnesses.

The case was again postponed yester-

day, as Harris and Jenkins had not

been found. The bench warrant issued

for their arrest had first been ordered

placed in the hands of the County Coro-

ner, on the ground that the Sheriff's

office was directly interested in the

case. The bench warrant was that there was not

sufficient evidence on which to convict

the defendant.

Scott will be a witness in the Tupper

trial. He is a singularly fortunate

man if he is a criminal, and a very

unfortunate man if an innocent one. He

has been arrested three times on this

charge of felonies since last

December, and each time the case has

been dismissed and he has been al-

lowed to go without punishment.

## WILL BE REOPENED.

A New Complaint Issued for the Arrest of Rogers of Downey.

A second complaint was issued yes-

terday for the arrest of one Rogers of Downey. Rogers was arrested on a

charge of having been one of two men

who called at the house of an old man

named Hardy one night. They asked

Hardy to loan them a double-tree, and

threw upon him, beat him, and

robbed him of \$12.

At Rogers' examination three men

from Fullerton proved an alibi for him,

and the case was dismissed by the

Justice in accordance with the wishes

of the District Attorney. New evi-

dence had been found, and

Asst. Dist.-Atty. Williams says he is

confident that he can prove the three

Fullerton men guilty of perjury.

## FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown into the Courts.

PERMANENT MONUMENTS.

The Board of Supervisors passed the

following resolution yesterday:

"Resolved, that County Surveyor

Wright be instructed to relocate at dis-

puted points, the line between Los An-

geles and Ventura counties in conjunc-

tion with the Surveyor of Ventura

county and to establish permanent

monuments at the intersection of

county roads."

## GUARDIAN FOR AN INSANE.

Walter Lampson, a man who was

asked to be appointed guardian for

his wife, Mrs. Lovena Lampson,

who is an inmate of the Stockton In-

sane Asylum. Mrs. Lampson's estate

consists of promissory notes in the

amount of \$300.

## DECREE OF DIVORCE.

Walter Lampson filed a decree of

divorce against his wife, Mrs. Lovena

Lampson, a man who was

asked to be appointed guardian for

his wife, Mrs. Lovena Lampson,

who is an inmate of the Stockton In-

sane Asylum. Mrs. Lampson's estate

consists of promissory notes in the

amount of \$300.

## SHIPTON MATTER CONTINUED.

In the matter of the guardianship of

Elsie Shipton, which came up for

hearing in Department Two yesterday

morning, the case was continued for

two weeks, upon motion of Attorney

W. R. Bacon.

## DUPLAIN'S ESTATE.

A petition was filed by Public Adminis-

trator Frank M. Kelsey yesterday asking for letters of

administration to the estate of Joseph

Duplain, deceased, who died in Santa

Monica on July 8. Duplain left \$600

in cash and \$10 worth of property. He had

no relatives here and left no will. Two

men and a woman in Santa Monica

have been held to answer to the Super-

ior Court for Duplain's murder.

## SALOON LICENSE JUGGLING.

A License-holder is Responsible for His Saloon's Debts.

The involved and mysterious adminis-

tration of the affairs of a May-

street saloon, run by one Culp, who







## City Briefs.

## A CHARMING RESORT.

MANY SUMMER VISITORS AT SAN DIEGO AND CORONADO.

Parties going to Catalina can leave this city on the Terminal newspaper train at 6 a.m., connecting with the Wilmington Transportation Company's newspaper boat at San Pedro, and arrive at Catalina at 10 o'clock direct except Saturday and Sunday. Making the trip at this time of the day is much more delightful than in the afternoon, after the winds have come up and the ocean is "choppy." There is also much less liability to seasickness on the morning trip.

First Baptist Church, Sunday service. The Read will preach at 11 a.m., theme, "Christians Not Under the Mosaic Law"; also at 7:45, subject, "The Relation of the Young People's Movement to the Second Coming of Christ." All, especially strangers, welcome.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the Sunday evening home-made concert (tonight) at Fixen & Co., (Chicago Dry Goods House) and Queen Shoe Store, 125 S. Spring Street and 211 West Second street.

Good values in Ladies' Fancy Neckwear at one-half original prices; embroidery in 4½ yard lengths, 45 cents a length, which is just one-half price. Couture's Fancy Goods.

The best service and lowest prices at the Nadeau Cafè. Wine and music. Peniel Hall, 227 South Main street, Sunday services at 11, 3 and 7:30.

The roll of Better City Government League closes tomorrow.

Deputy Sheriff Dilzon of Arizona returned from Sacramento yesterday. He will return to his home tomorrow with the two Chinamen who robbed Sam Lee.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Office for Dr. J. O'Toole, Samuel Whittaker, Thomas Franklin, Rosa Garma, John H. Taft, Miss Carrie Myers, M. E. Eshelman.

The preliminary examination of "Preacher Frank," charged with operating a gambling device, was continued until next Tuesday by Justice Owens yesterday, because of the illness of Justice H. H. Green.

The Times, with all its machinery running, will keep open house to visiting Endeavours this evening from 8 to 11 o'clock. Entrance on the First-street front of the Times Building, or by the elevator on the west front.

The Southern Pacific people here have been instructed that where holders of the \$10,000 damage suit against the San Francisco desire to return by the Coast line, exchange can be made for \$7,500, making price same as though this ticket had been bought at the special rate of \$25. The coast route return includes side trip to Monterey and Santa Cruz.

## SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

## John C. More Non-Suited in His Damage Suit-Brevities.

SANTA BARBARA, July 16.—(Regular Correspondence.) John C. More was non-suited today in his \$10,000 damage suit against C. A. Storke and Mrs. Miller for malicious prosecution. Mrs. Miller is executrix of the estate of A. P. More and the plaintiff is one of the heirs. Storke about two months ago had J. C. More arrested for disturbing the peace, a constable going to Santa Rosa to get him. More alleged that he was a conspiracy on the part of Storke and Mrs. Miller to get him off the island so that he could not see what was going on there. The defense put in no testimony in this case, alleging that the plaintiff had not submitted his charge of malicious prosecution.

## SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

According to the annual report of the City Clerk of Santa Barbara, this city has a total of \$65,493.51. The same report shows that the city has expended on its water tunnel the sum of \$683.53.

Prof. T. R. Bacon, of the State University, after a few weeks sojourn at Miramar, has returned to San Francisco.

The St. Charles Hotel, one of the very old landmarks of Santa Barbara, is about to be rejuvenated, at least to the extent of a new front. In the days of full fights this hostelry was a swell affair.

The last issue of Leslie's Weekly contains a picture of D. W. Thompson and his fine horse caparisoned with a \$1500 saddle and bridle.

Gen. John F. Farnsworth, who died in Washington, D. C., July 14, was the father of Mrs. Genevieve H. Wright, who is prominent in the musical circles of Santa Barbara.

Prof. Edwards has been reflected principal of the Santa Ynez High school.

The mercury nearly touched the 100 deg. mark at Santa Ynez Wednesday.

Frances W. Winkman, in charge of the Catholic Church tract in the Santa Ynez Valley. He succeeds E. de la Cuesta, who for many years has been in control of the property, and may remove there as soon as his place here can be supplied, unless the tract should in the meantime be sold.

Miss Zada Wolgamott has left for Arizona, where she goes to accept as pianist. Miss Wolgamott is late of the convent of Notre Dame.

## SAN PEDRO.

## Soda Water Works Attached—Old Fellows' Banquet.

SAN PEDRO, July 16.—(Regular Correspondence.) Two attachments have been filed against E. W. Price, proprietor of the San Pedro Soda Water and Distilling Works. The Union Supply Company of Los Angeles brought suit in Justice of the Peace Patterson's court, the amount claimed being \$190. A. Watson of this city filed suit before Justice of the Peace Downing, and the attachment issued at his instance was for \$22, which he claims was loaned Rance.

Bohen Lodge, No. 138, I.O.O.F., of Wilmington, had its semi-annual installation of officers Thursday night. The installing officers were J. H. Thompson, E. E. Overholzer, J. W. Buckley, L. H. Fawcett, and Carl Stromsem. The officer installed were W. D. Coombs, N.G.; J. N. Jordan, V.G.; J. S. Thomas, Secretary; J. P. Silver, Treasurer; T. J. Crowley, I.G.; James Long, G.; Peter Pierce, R.S.N.; G. P. Larson, R.S.V.G.; and A. Vidovitch, L.S.V.G. The band was given after the installation, at which Sam Bennett of this city, acted as toasting master, each of the forty-six members present representing. Mr. McDonald reads an appropriate poem of his own composition. Mr. Overholzer dealt with the growth of the order. Mr. Crowley was general congratulated, this being the fifty-seventh time he has been appointed Inner Guardian, making a consecutive service of twenty-eight years at that post. The members of Embacadero Lodge, No. 348, of San Pedro, attended the installation:

C. T. Carlson, A. K. Jenson, T. H. Fawcett, G. C. Baker, H. Ellis, J. Sanstrom, Ernest Jones, W. H. Thompson, H. Long, R. Axman, J. W. Buckley, Sam Bennett.

The schooner Lakme, Capt. Henderson, arrived today with 700,000 feet of lumber for the W. H. Perry Lumber Company.

ALL GROCERS KEEP IT. Sperry's Best Family, \$1.25 per quarter-sack.

## AT SANTA MONICA SUNDAY.

Band concert in afternoon by Los Angeles Military Band. Jack Plat's aerial specialties, flying trapeze, etc., etc., over the sea, in front of North Beach Bath-house. See notes of twenty-two Sunday Santa Monica trains elsewhere this paper. Take Southern Pacific. Round trip, 50 cents.

## CATALINA ISLAND TRAINS

On short line, Southern Pacific, leave Arco Depot (Saturday and Sunday excepted) 1:40 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m., 1:40, 5:05 p.m.; Sunday, 8:15 a.m., 5:05 p.m. Round trip, \$2.50 and \$2.75.

## HISTORY

Repeats Itself.

Two weeks ago today we had a Special Sale of

## Trimmed Hats

At \$1.90

Which, from a point of selling, was a perfect success. We repeat that sale for today and for today only. The Trimmed Hats placed on sale here today are positively superior to any offered at \$8.00 and even more anywhere else in Los Angeles. A simple comparison will convince the most skeptical.

## The Eclipse

## Millinery.

257 S. Spring St. Near Third.

A. J. Goldschmidt, Prop.

The Perfume of Violets

The purity of the lily, the glow of the rose, and the flush of Hebe combine in Posson's wondrous Powder.

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

People Beginning to Appreciate the Delights of the Bay Region—One of the Grandest Views in the World to Be Had at Point Loma.

SAN DIEGO, July 16.—[Special Correspondence.] The present season promises to be an unusually interesting one at Coronado and the San Diego Bay region generally. A few years ago this locality was known only as a winter resort, but the completion of the Santa Fe Surf line from Santa Ana south to this city, and the inauguration of good train service, has perhaps done more than in another time to bring the fame of this locality to the front in a most delightful place for summer sojourners.

The natural features of the bay region, such as climate and the opportunities for the indulgence in almost all kinds of pleasant outdoor sports, of course, existed previous to the completion of the Surf-line railroad, but the arrival of the winter resort, Coronado, was limited, and as a natural result many intending visitors remained in ignorance of what was really in store for them in this bay region.

Following upon the completion of the Surf line, the construction of the great Hotel del Coronado, the opening of the United States post office, and the steady increase of summer arrivals bears out this statement. There is no better climate in the world and amusements are plentiful for the entertainment of visitors. "One of the five grandest views in the world," says Charles H. Smith, "is to be had at Point Loma, only across the entrance of the bay, from Coronado, where, looking down nearly three hundred feet, is the Pacific Ocean to the right, the entrance to the beautiful bay of San Diego to the left, and the way can be seen to the city of San Diego, superbly situated. Still farther, the Cuyamaca Mountains and the mountains of Mexico rise up to meet the sky, forming as they do the boundary line between Los Angeles and the Pacific.

From Los Angeles two daily trains stop with day coaches and parlors cars make the run to San Diego in four and one-half hours and the ride through the fertile Santa Ana Valley, the largest and most productive in the southern portion of the State, and along the ocean shore from Capistrano, southward, past some of the prettiest and most interesting trips eastern tourists can possibly take.

Of P. A. ST. MARY.

Third Regiment U. S. in camp. Drill, guard mount, dress parade, review. Take Southern Pacific. Week-day train from Arcadia Depot, 9 a.m., 1:35, 5:15 p.m. Twenty-two Sunday trains. Round trip, 50 cents.

## HOUSEKEEPERS' DELIGHT.

Sperry's Best Family flour.

## DEATH RECORD.

Nelson Weatherton, a native of Tennessee, aged 47, and Georgia Kitchlow, a native of Virginia, aged 38; both residents of Pasadena.

Williams Arthur Berton, a native of California, aged 21, and Mary Claudine Jagou, a native of Texas, aged 17; both residents of Los Angeles.

Walter E. Noble, a native of Ohio, aged 27, and Marie Compton, a native of Kansas, aged 24; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

DUDDEAR, John. At his residence, No. 835 Central Ave. John Westrose Duddear, aged 25 years 3 months 25 days, beloved son of George and Mary Duddear of Lordsburg, Cal.

DUDDEAR, July 15, 1897. Harriett J. wife of Dr. William D. Dabock.

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